Application No. 10/731325 Amendment dated January 5, 2006 First Preliminary Amendment

## **REMARKS**

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-0750, under Order No. 9637-000075/US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: January 5, 2006

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